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PLAN FOR IMPLEMENTING THE CHANGED POLICY WITH RESPECT TO APPROVAL OF SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS

Adopted on May 22, 1956, by the Commission on Accreditation

On May 22, 1956, the Commission on Accreditation adopted the plan below for implementing the changed policy with respect to approval of specialized programs. (Reported in Social Work Education, Vol. IV, No. 1.) The plan and time schedule for implementation were presented by Dr. Ruth Smalley, a member of both the Commission on Accreditation and its subcommittee on Specializations, at an open meeting sponsored by the Council at the National Conference of Social Work in May 1956. Dr. Smalley's paper has been published by the Council and is available.*

The proposed plan and time schedule will go to the Board of the Council for approval at its October meeting. The plan proposes that the changed policy shall be effective by June 1959. In the interim period the present procedure for the approval of specialized programs as currently understood will be used.

The changed policy with respect to approval of specialized programs adopted by the Commission on Accreditation in January 1956, included a recommendation for action by the Council on Social Work Education on the following five points:

Point I: Redrafting of Curriculum statements in the Manual of Accrediting Standards
Point II: Preparation of Curriculum Content Guides
Point III: Systematic Procedure for Periodic Reviews
Point IV: Continuing Consultation Service
Point V: Informing the Field of Educational Resources

The Commission on Accreditation, at the same time, charged the Committee on Specializations in Social Work Education to prepare a memorandum suggesting a plan for action in relation to the five steps necessary to implement the changed policy.

Certain agreements with respect to the Nature of Specialization in Social Work were formulated as basic to the recommendations which constitute the plan as adopted by the Commission on Accreditation at its meeting on May 22, 1956. These agreements are:

1. Our present accrediting framework as developed for the four existing "specializations" is fortuitous rather than logical. These "specializations" are directly related to the development of the respective professional membership associations and their relationships to the schools.

2. Specialization in social work is conceived as process. The primary processes in direct service are social casework and social group work. Other processes are: community organization, research, administration, supervision, teaching, and consultation.

3. Major fields of practice for social workers include among others: child welfare, correctional, family welfare, medical, psychiatric, public assistance, public education, public health, recreation and informal education. Any field of practice can use all of the social work processes. Any social work process can be used in any field of practice.

4. Special competence in a particular field of practice grows out of basic professional education and continuing successful experience in that field and/or further professional education.

The recommended plan for implementation of the policy includes the following four points:

Point I: Redrafting of the statement on Curriculum in the Manual of Accrediting Standards

It is recommended that:

the Commission on Accreditation assume responsibility for redrafting the Manual statement on curric-

*Specialization in Social Work Education. (New York: Council on Social Work Education, 1956). 35¢

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ulum to provide a more thorough formulation of the content and nature of the basic curriculum as a means of providing essential preparation for professional service in the various fields of social work practice. The revision should include: (1) an amplification of the statement on the philosophy and content of the basic curriculum, (2) the identification of specialization in social work as process, and a descriptive statement of the essential nature of each direct service process, (3) the addition of material essential in the education of all social workers extracted from the revised criteria statements of the four existing "specializations," and (4) the addition in the various curriculum areas of content suggested and contained in documents transmitted to the Commission on Accreditation by the Committee on Specializations.

Time Schedule: It is anticipated that the revision will be completed for Commission action by June 1957.

Point II: Preparation of Curriculum Content Guides

It is recommended that:

1. the Council assume responsibility through use of appropriate groups representing practice and education and the curriculum study, for preparation and maintenance of guides with respect to curriculum content emerging from the various fields of practice. The guides will have the purpose of identifying curriculum content from fields of practice to be considered as basic content for all social workers, as well as content for enrichment of a school's curriculum in relation to a particular field of practice.

2. the guides be drawn up in harmony with the revised Manual statements on curriculum.

3. the Council set up appropriate machinery (such as a central committee) to coordinate and implement the recommendations under Point II.

Time Schedule: It is anticipated that drafts of the guides will be completed in tentative form by January 1958.

Point III: Systematic Procedure for Periodic Reviews

In order to implement what is already an established standing policy, it is recommended that:

the Commission on Accreditation prepare a plan for periodic reviews for presentation to the Board. The plan shall include specifics with respect to frequency, relationship to the regional accrediting bodies, financing of on-campus visits, initiation of the plan, and estimates of personnel and financial resources necessary to put the plan into effect.

Time Schedule: It is anticipated that a plan will be adopted and the various conditions necessary for its operation met by June 1959.

Point IV: Continuing Consultation Service

It is recommended that:

a plan be made by the Council to continue regular on-going basic and to provide special consultation service to schools of social work. (It is recognized that consultation will be enriched through the use of the guides described under Point II.)

Time Schedule: It is anticipated that a plan will be adopted and the various conditions necessary for its operation met by June 1959.

Point V: Informing the Field of Educational Resources

It is recommended that:

a directory be published annually by the Council to inform the field and the public of the educational resources in the accredited schools. The directory would include identifying information on the school together with its designation of the process specializations it offers and the fields of practice represented in its field instruction program. The recommended procedure for the preparation of the directory is as follows: Each school will indicate on a uniform schedule and in accordance with the curriculum content guides

the processes it offers, and

the field instruction opportunities it makes available in the various fields of practice.

Time Schedule: It is anticipated that the first directory will be published in the summer of 1959.

The present procedure for the approval of "specializations" as currently understood will be used until June 1959, or until the foregoing plan has been put into effect, at which time accreditation of "specializations" in social work education will be discontinued. Revised statements of criteria developed by the medical, psychiatric, school social work and group work sections of National Association of Social Workers will be used by the Commission on Accreditation in the interim period.

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Terms are for 3 years and end on June 30 of the year indicated.

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1958	Kaufman, Manual (3)
*1959	Kennedy, Lucile (3)
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*1959	Rowe, Helen (5)
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1958	Stukel, Mayme (3)
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*1959	Thomas, Addie (5)
1957	Tine, Sebastian (1)
1957	Tramburg, John W. (3)
1958	Trecker, Harleigh B. (1)
1958	Turner, William D. (1)
1958	Wetzel, H. E. (2)
1957	Young, Donald (6)
1958	Young, Whitney M. (6)
1958	(Vacancy (1))

ƒ To complete the term of the Rt. Rev. John J. McClafferty

Areas of representation: (1) Graduate Schools, (2) Undergraduate Departments, (3) Public Agencies, (4) Voluntary Agencies, (5) Professional Membership Associations, (6) Delegates-at-large, representing interested citizens and higher education.

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*1958	Howery, Victor I.
*1958	Katzenberg, Mrs. Howard F.
1957	Lasker, Loula D.
*1958	McNeil, C. F.
ƒ**1957	Pepper, The Rev. Canon Almon R.
*1958	Poole, Florence
*1958	Schottland, Charles I.
1957	Siegel, Doris
‡**1957	Spencer, Sue
*1958	Tascher, Harold
1957	Tramburg, John W.
1957	Trecker, Harleigh B.
*1958	Wittman, Milton

ƒ To complete term of Donald S. Howard
‡ To complete term of Helen R. Wright

*** The President is an Ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee.

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1958 Willard, Joseph W.

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1959 Alston, John C.
1957 O'Brien, Robert W.
1958 Plager, Egon
1958 Tascher, Harold
1959 Wetzel, H. E.
1957 (One vacancy)

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1957 Tascher, Harold, Chairman
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1957 Wetzel, H. E., Secretary

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1959 Lincoln, Arleigh L.
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1957 O'Brien, Robert W.
1957 Plager, Egon, Ex-officio

NEW NATIONAL AGENCY MEMBERSHIPS

Five national social welfare agencies have become members of the Council in recent months. We welcome them and know their support will aid in strengthening the program of the Council.

B'nai B'rith
Board of Hospitals and Homes of the Methodist Church
National Urban League
The Salvation Army
United Cerebral Palsy Associations, Inc.

GRADUATE SCHOOL NEWS

Since the last issue of Social Work Education a number of changes have been made in the administrative staffs of various schools of social work. The Council is pleased to call your attention to the following new deans and directors:

ALTON A LINFORD, assumes the duties of Dean of the School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, on October 1, 1956. Dr. Linford has long served the school in the capacity of Professor.
ARLEIGH L. LINCOLN, has been appointed Dean of the Raymond A. Kent School of Social Work, University of Louisville. Dr. Lincoln was formerly Professor of Sociology and Director of the Division of Social Work, University of North Dakota.
THE REV. RICHARD P. BURKE, S.J., formerly Acting Dean of Boston College, School of Social Work, has been appointed Dean.
HOWARD J. PARAD, has been appointed Director of Smith College, School for Social Work. Mr. Parad was formerly on the staff of the Family Guidance Center, School of Public Health, Harvard University.
ARTHUR KATZ, has assumed the duties of Dean of Adelphi College, School of Social Work. Mr. Katz has served as community organization consultant to the Mid-Westchester YMHA and the White Plains Council of Community Service. He was engaged previously as Executive Director of the East Tremont Neighborhood Center. He was the first recipient of the Robert F. Wagner doctoral fellowship, New York School of Social Work.
BENJAMIN H. LYNDON, formerly Dean of the Social Service Program, Graduate School of Public Administration and Social Service, New York University, has been appointed Dean of the School of Social Work, University of Buffalo.
REX A. SKIDMORE, formerly Professor of Social Work and Sociology, as well as Director of the Bureau of Student Counsel, has been appointed Dean of the School of Social Work, University of Utah.
MORTON TEICHER, formerly Assistant Professor of Social Work and Clinical Teacher in Psychiatry at the University of Toronto, has been appointed Director of the Yeshiva University, School of Education and Community Organization, an Associate Member School.

Special attention is called to the change in name and status of the School of Social Work, Wayne University which, as of April 1956, has become WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY.

INDIA PROJECT

Three additional social welfare specialists have joined the staff of the India Project (see Social Work Education, Vol. IV, No. 3.). MR. SEATON MANNING, formerly Executive Secretary of the San Francisco Urban League, will be a community organization specialist at Tata Institute of Social Welfare in Bombay. Mr. Manning also has taught at San Francisco State College.

DR. MALCOLM STINSON will be assigned to the University of Lucknow School of Social Work as a community organization and research specialist. Dr. Stinson has been on the faculty at the University of Minnesota and has been research consultant on the St. Paul Family Center Project.

DR. H. KENNETH FITZGERALD joins the national office staff as Coordinator for the India Project. From 1953 - 56 Dr. Fitzgerald was employed as Executive Secretary of the Catholic Social Services, Diocese of Savannah-Atlanta, Atlanta, Georgia. Prior to his service in Georgia he was in the Home Service Department, American Red Cross, Cincinnati, Ohio.

AGNES ANDERSON

The death of AGNES ANDERSON on July 8, 1956 saddened not only Indiana University but also the entire field of social work. MISS ANDERSON was an Associate Professor of the School of Social Work from 1951 until her death and had been on the faculty since 1945. She served also as Chairman of the Pre-Professional Program of the university's undergraduate Division of Social Service. Prior to her affiliation with the university, she had been Field Representative with the National Travelers Aid and had served many other agencies both public and voluntary.

MISS ANDERSON probably will be best remembered for her conscientious work, especially as Chairman of the University Committee on Student-Faculty Relations; for her efforts on behalf of the disadvantaged of Bloomington; and for her interest in and endeavors for curriculum development.

The Council Board and staff will miss her guidance on the Commission on Schools and Departments. They extend their sympathy to her family and friends.

GENERAL NEWS AND INFORMATION

DEMONSTRATION PROJECT OF CASEWORK SERVICE IN PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

As part of the Governor's program to inquire into and attack the causes of poverty, the New York State Department of Social Welfare has begun a demonstration project involving the use of casework specialists in public assistance programs.

The objectives of the project would be to identify social and economic problems leading to dependency; to assist in formulating and carrying out plans for rehabilitation and return to self-support; to provide or plan for such services as will strengthen family ties and promote the well-being of children; to evaluate resources currently available; and to assemble and analyze material as the basis of future planning.

Candidates for these positions may contact MR. JAMES J. SULLIVAN, Director of Personnel, New York State Department of Social Welfare, Albany, New York.

MARGARET E. RICH MEMORIAL

Friends and associates of MARGARET E. RICH have formed a committee, under the sponsorship of the Family Service Association of America, to establish a fellowship fund in her honor, with FLORENCE HOLLIS, Professor of Social Work, the New York School of Social Work, as chairman.

MISS RICH died in New York on May 6, 1956. She was formerly associate director of FSAA and for nearly twenty years was editor of its journal, The Family (now Social Casework).

Upon her retirement, MISS RICH devoted herself to the writing of a history of family social work in this country. She completed the task a few weeks before her death. The book will be published in the fall.

Family Service Association of America will accept contributions to the fund.

PRINCIPAL PROVISION OF SOCIAL SECURITY AMENDMENTS - 1956

The Social Security Act amendments approved by Congress just before adjournment and signed by the President include four provisions of tremendous interest and importance to social work education:

1. The establishment of disability insurance;
2. Provision of grants on a variable basis for the training of public welfare personnel. The federal share of expenditures would be 80%. $5,000,000 is authorized beginning July 1, 1957;
3. Provision is made under Title XI of the Social Security Act for grants to states and public or other non-profit organizations to pay part of the cost of research or demonstration projects and for jointly financed cooperative studies such as those relating to the prevention and reduction of dependency, or to improve the effectiveness of programs under the Social Security Act and related programs. $5,000,000 is authorized for the period beginning July 1, 1957; and
4. Increased funds for Child Welfare Services administered by the Children's Bureau, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, from $10,000,000 to $12,000,000.

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PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR POST-MASTER'S LEVEL

The U. S. Public Health Service is announcing a new traineeship program which will include social workers interested in public health. Social workers employed in or interested in employment in public health, who are graduates of accredited schools of social work, may apply for training in schools of public health or in accredited schools of social work with an accredited third year or doctoral program if the courses offered by the latter will enhance the trainee's contribution to the field of public health. The traineeships carry a stipend of $3,600 per year for post-Master's candidates and $4,800 for post-doctoral candidates. In addition, tuition and fees will be paid and an allowance of $360 per year for each legal dependent will be added to the stipend.

Since the traineeships will be available this fall, applications should be submitted promptly. Further information for social workers may be obtained from the Chief, Division of General Health Services, Public Health Service, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Washington 25, D. C.

TEXAS HEALTH DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

The Department of Health of Texas is offering a scholarship in advanced training in psychiatric social work (third year). The scholarship will provide $400 per month plus tuition and fees for the training period of ten months or more. The individual selected to receive the scholarship would be assigned as Consultant Psychiatric Social Worker on the Health Department staff. Persons interested may contact MR. DWIGHT W. RIEMAN, Consultant Psychiatric Social Worker, Department of Health, State of Texas, Austin, Texas.

DENVER - 25th ANNIVERSARY

The UNIVERSITY OF DENVER SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK is celebrating its Twenty-Fifth Anniversary Year. A series of special programs have been conducted. Highlights of the Anniversary Year were: an address by DR. GRACE COYLE on "The Social Worker and His Society" and the presentation of a paper by MRS. ELLIOT STUDT on "The Contribution of Correctional Practice to Social Work Education." Plans are now under way to publish the above together with DR. EMIL SUNLEY'S "History of the School."

CONFERENCE ON AGING-UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

MISS KATHERINE K. REEBEL, the Council's representative to the University of Michigan's CONFERENCE ON AGING and the Group Meeting on "Professional Training in Gerontology" has provided the following report:

> There were many different groups represented and the terms of "specialist" and "generalist" were discussed. The areas of knowledge to be considered, the skills and attitudes to be developed, and the importance of community organization aspects were thoroughly covered. Some of the knowledge to be considered included the resources at the national, state and local level; the effect of government and law on gerontology; the psychology of aging; social legislation; biology and health, and especially the mental health aspects of the problem. It was evident that there was some agreement about the need for a deepening of knowledge at the undergraduate level, and a need for extending knowledge through adult education. Several ways of providing training were explored but, by and large, the content to be included in training programs was left untouched. It was felt that it would be profitable for some universities to apply for grants and to experiment with setting up programs in this area.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Florina Lasker Social Work Award - CHARLOTTE TOWLE of the University of Chicago School of Social Service Administration Faculty received the Florina Lasker Social Work Award at an alumni luncheon of the New York School of Social Work. The award was given in recognition of Miss Towle's efforts "to stimulate further achievement" in the field of Social welfare.

HELEN RUSSELL WRIGHT, retiring Dean of the University of Chicago School of Social Service Administration, received an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Western Reserve University at its 130th commencement. The degree was conferred in recognition of Dr. Wright's pioneering work in social work education. Dr. Wright was also honored by the Chicago Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers at a special meeting in May.

FULBRIGHT AWARDS

Social workers and specialists may study abroad during 1957-1958 under the U. S. Government international educational exchange program. Special facilities for advanced work in the social work field have been established for American graduate students in the United Kingdom and France. In addition, social work candidates may enter the general competition for Fulbright awards in other countries. Application blanks may be secured from the Institute of International Education, 1 East 67th Street, New York 21, N. Y.

MENTAL HEALTH COURSE

The Institute of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University, will offer an eight week lecture series, beginning October 1, entitled "Understanding Our Emotions." The course will explore the origin and meaning of our emotions. Each week there will be a round-table discussion featuring a psychiatrist and a prominent layman.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE BUREAU OF CHILD GUIDANCE

The Bureau of Child Guidance, Division of Child Welfare, New York City Board of Education plans to celebrate its Twenty-Fifth Anniversary on Saturday, October 20, 1956, with an all day conference and luncheon to be held at the Waldorf Astoria, New York City. Dr. Edward Stainbrook, Professor and Chairman, University of Southern California, will be the principal speaker.

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NEW COUNCIL PUBLICATIONS

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WORKSHOP REPORTS - ANNUAL PROGRAM MEETING - JANUARY 1956, BUFFALO, NEW YORK. PRIC

I. The Teaching of Social Philosophy and Social Responsibility in the Undergraduate Program (#6-18-12) ..... To be announced

II. Field Instruction in the Changing Curriculum (#6-18-13)..... "

III. The Application of Basic Social Work Principles to Practice in Specific Settings (#6-18-14) ..... "

IV. Field Instruction in the Second Year - Educational Goals and Methods (#6-18-15) "

V. Field Work for Students from Other Countries (#6-19-16)..... "

VI. Social Work Education for Personnel in the Field of Corrections (#6-34-5) - Available Now..... .35¢

VII. Community Organization (#6-18-18)..... To be announced

VIII. Use of Record Material in Teaching (#6-18-19)..... "

IX. Selection of Students for Schools of Social Work (#6-18-20)..... "

X. Student Evaluation (#6-18-21) ..... "

XI. The Team Approach to Staff Development in Agency and School (#6-46-1)..... "

XII. The Advanced Curriculum in Social Work (#6-18-23)..... "

A special price will be fixed for the entire set at the time of release for distribution.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK - MAY 1956, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.
A special series of papers, delivered at the Conference and published by the Council.

SPECIALIZATION IN SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION - RUTH E. SMALLEY (#6-64-3) - Available Now..... .35¢

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION IN SOCIAL WORK - Its Practice in Old and New Settings (#6-64-4).. .50¢
What is Community Organization Practice: - VIOLET M. SIEDER
Assessment of Progress Made by Community Organization in Identifying Basic Concepts and Methods for Utilization in Social Work Education - MILDRED C. BARRY
Community Development in India, Iran, Egypt, and the Gold Coast - ERNEST F. WITTE

SOCIAL GROUP WORK EDUCATION AND PRACTICE TODAY - (#6-64-5)..... .50¢

Observations on the Teaching of Social Group Work As a Method of Social Work in a Professional Curriculum
A. Theoretical Considerations - WALTER L. KINDELSPERGER
B. Learning Objectives and Sequence of Experiences - GLADYS RYLAND

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